

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Wayne L. Felts**

Assignee: **SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC**

Application No.: **10/606,090** Group No.: **2116**

Filed: **06/26/2003** Examiner: **James Trujillo**

For: **TRANSITIONING FROM STARTUP CODE TO APPLICATION CODE DURING  
INITIALIZATION OF A PROCESSOR BASED DRIVE**

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**TRANSMITTAL OF APPEAL BRIEF  
(PATENT APPLICATION--37 C.F.R. § 41.37)**

**1.** Transmitted herewith, is the APPEAL BRIEF in this application, with respect to the Notice of Appeal filed on March 17, 2008.

**2. STATUS OF APPLICANT**

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

**3. FEE FOR FILING APPEAL BRIEF**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(2), the fee for filing the Appeal Brief is:

Appeal Brief fee for other than a small entity \$510.00 less previous payment of \$500.00 = **\$10.00**  
(Note: Applicant filed a Notice of Appeal on January 12, 2007 and an Appeal Brief on July 12, 2007. The Examiner issued a new nonfinal Office Action on October 12, 2007, however, Applicant has chosen to initiate a new appeal with the filing of the notice of appeal and appeal brief herewith. Applicant chooses to apply the previously paid notice of appeal fee and appeal brief fee and has authorized payment herewith of the fee increase for each - since the previous filings.)

**4. EXTENSION OF TERM**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

**5. TOTAL FEE DUE**

The total fee due is:

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**6. FEE PAYMENT**

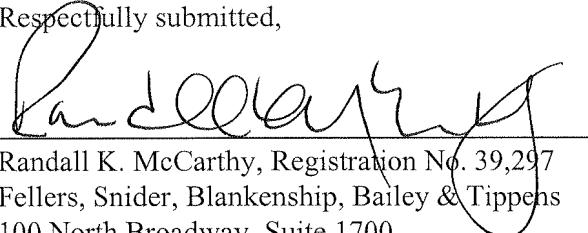
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**7. FEE DEFICIENCY**

If any additional extension and/or fee is required, and if any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 06-0540.

Respectfully submitted,

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